

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of : Kozyuk, O.  
Application No. : 10/743,450  
Filing Date : December 19, 2003  
Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR HEAT TREATING A  
HOMOGENIZED FLUID PRODUCT  
Examiner : Becker, D.  
Art Unit : 1794  
Confirmation No. : 8151

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**COMMUNICATION**

Dear Examiner:

In lieu of responding to the Final Office Action dated March 11, 2008 issued in connection with the above-referenced application ("subject application"), Applicant has decided to file a continuation application claiming priority to the subject application. The continuation application will be filed on the same date herewith. To maintain the pendency of the continuation application with the subject application, a Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time, along with proper payment, is being filed in the subject application on the same date herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this Communication, including any fees to maintain the pendency of the subject application, to Deposit Account No. 02-2051, referencing Docket No. 31561-84.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 11, 2008

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